

When WEEDS Move IN WATERFOWL Move OUT!



"Northern Pintail Flock" by Gary Kramer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.



Purple loosestrife is a pretty plant that invades and devastates wetlands.

REPORT IT!

Report infestations of weeds and other invasive species to the appropriate agencies.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT:
IDAHO OFFICE 208-373-4000

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND
GAME: 1-866-IDWEEDS (439-3337)

www.blm.gov/weeds

Noxious weeds and other invasive species replace native plants and destroy waterfowl habitat.

Most invasive and noxious weeds are not suitable for waterfowl forage; waterfowl will leave areas infested by weeds and invasive species in search of better habitat.

- The estimated damage from invasives worldwide totals \$1.4 trillion—5 percent of the global economy.
- Weeds and invasive species can be transported by wind, water, boats, vehicles, wildlife, and YOU!

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- Learn to identify invasive and noxious weeds in your area.
- Clean boats, vehicles, animals, and equipment before leaving home and your hunting location.
- Check your clothing and equipment for weed seeds.
- Avoid traveling through, camping, or hunting in weed-infested areas.
- Stay on established roads and trails.



**STOP AQUATIC
HITCHHIKERS!**

Prevent the transport of nuisance species.
Clean all recreational equipment.
www.ProtectYourWaters.net

FICMNEW: Federal Interagency Committee for the
Management of Noxious and Exotic Weeds